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## HISTORICAL CLUB HEARD FINE PAPER

R. de Witt Scott Spoke on "Das Karital."

SOCIALIST MOVEMENT.

Karl Marx Set Forth Position of Socialists in his Book.

One of the most interesting and profitable evenings was spent by the members of the Historical Clab last night. After the business was disposed of, the President called upon Mr. R. de Witt Scott to give his paper on "Das Kapital," by Karl Marx. Mr. Scott spoke as follows:

In these days of strife and confusion, when men are brought face to face with vital truths and naked realities, an ideal is regarded with more or less cynicism. It seems intangible -as beautiful, perhaps, as a rainbow but as difficult to grasp, always moving away from us as we approach the place where it seemed to be. Moreover, an ideal is the subject-matter for so much rhetoric that nearly every ideal is obscured by the praise or disparagement that has been bestowed upon it. And yet I think that even at this time, we may be able so to concentrate our attention upon the growth and effects of an ideal that we may in the end appreciate what it meant to those whom first it moved. It is therefore an ideal that I propose to speak of to-night. Not the programme of any socialist political party, for they are legion, but the conceptions that lie behind all such programmes. For just as it is possible to distinguish Mohammedanism from Christianity without discussing the details of the two creeds, so it seems to me possible to consider the Socialist attitude without a full statement of the progretimes implied in that attitude. This position we find analyzed and set forth at length in the great book of Karl Mark, namely, "Das Kapital." Here we have the great dynamic of the Socialist movement, mechanic, it nevertheless remains the fundamental basis of a theory of social evolution. And in the final analysis, socialism in the modern, scientific sense, is nothing else than a

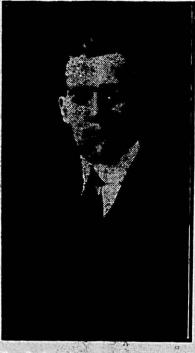
theory of social change, development. ture, and showed the importance of E.er since Darwin wrote, it has the Canadian production of this valubeen granted that one can under- able metal, Canada having produced stand an object very well by discovering its origin. Even the parents of a great man nowadays are given more also made reference to the excellent than a few lines in a great man's biography. In the old days the biographer dismissed them with a curt remark, such as that they were "poor but respectable." Now, however, we thods of refining it were described. Its seem to understand even the exceptional genius better by hearing of his parentage in detail. So of the great ideal—the great word, and its inner meaning. We shall take it as used at present, and attempt to express what it meant when it first became a motive force. This you will see, leads us to the author of the book.

which is our subject this evening.

Karl Marx was born in 1818, on the fifth day of May, at Treves, Prussia, the oldest town in Germany. dating back to Roman times. His father was a Jewish lawyer of prominence and great learning; his mother the descendant of Hungarian Jews, who in the seventeenth century had settled in Holland. On his father's side Marx was the descendant of a long line of Rabbis, unbroken for 200 years prior to his father. The true family name was Mordechia, but that was abandoned by the grandfather, who adopted the name of Mark. Either shortly before the birth of Karl, or shortly afterward, his father received notice that he must either forego his official position and the practice of nis profession, or, with his family, accept the Christian faith and baptism. 3.30 p.m. Caring nothing for the Hebrew religion, steeped in the materialism of more Dinner, Freeman's. eighteenth century France, and an ardent disciple of Voltaire, he did not hesitate to submit to the decree, and of the editorship of a democratic paproud of his rabbinical ancestry, and in his career, for the censors. So, of his gift of exposition.

Marx studied law at the Universities publication, but in vain; the governof Berlin and Bonn. But "to please ment suppressed the paper in March, himself," he studied history and 1843. philosophy, and won great distinc- In the same year. Marx married tion in those branches of learning, Jenny von Westphalen, who belong- ed a gunshot wound in the left thigh He graduated in 1841 (at the age of ed to a family of good position in on Nov. 15th, and is now in No. 5 23), as a Doctor of Philosophy, with the official circles of the Rhine coun- General Hospital, Portsmouth, Eng. a thesis on the philosophy of Epictetus, and it was his intention to set- maternal side to the Argyles. It the 9th Canadian Field Ambulance, tle down at Bonn as a lecturer in was a happy marriage. Through all and has been in France for over 18 philosophy. That plan was abandon- the trials and privations of a revo- months. ed partly because he had already dis- lutionary career, Marx found in his Prior to his enlistment Henry took covered that his bent was toward wife a brave, steadfast and sympa- a prominent part in student activipolitical activity, and partly because thetic companion. the Prussian government had made scholastic independence impossible. moved to Paris, where he applied the former of which he was captain in

ACCEPTED FOR FLYING



Frank B. Common, M.A., B.C.L. Frank B. Common, M.A., Law '17, has been accepted for the Flying Corps, and expects to leave Montreal very shortly for training.

Frank distinguished himself in college as a brilliant student, and was successful in carrying off the major portion of the honours in the Law faculty in his three years as a law undergraduate. Frank was President of the Students' Council in his Senior year.

Montreal Metallurgical Association Hears Talk on Nickel

Situation. A meeting of the Montreal Metallurgical Association was held last night at 8.15 p.m., in the Chemistry Building, at which Mr. E. P. Mathewson, General Manager of the British-American Nickel Corporation, deent Developments of the Nickel and whatever may be our idea as to uation in Canada," a subject of very its value from the standpoint of a great interest at the present time. Mr. Mathewson is a graduate of McGill, Science '85, and is a metallurgist of international reputation. He first went into the history of the discovery of nickel, its occurrence in nalast year 42,000 tons, or 85 8-10 per cent. of the world's production. He report on the subject of nickel by the Royal Ontario Nickel Commission at Toronto. The various methods of extracting nickel from its ores and meuses were then taken up. At the present time, 90 per cent. of the world's production is used in nickel steel, and the white metals.

The address was concluded by Mr. Mathewson stating that while Canada was now the greatest producef, in the near future it will also be the greatest refiner of nickel in the world.

#### WHAT'S ON.

TO-DAY.

4.00 p.m.-Red Cross at R.V.C. 5.15 p.m.—Regular Gym. Classes. 8.00 p.m.-American Club Thanks giving Dinner.

8.00 p.m.—C.O.T.C. Parade.

COMING. Nov. 30.-Red Cross, R.V.C. Nov. 30.—Cercle Francais Supper. Nov. 30,-Chemical Society Meet-

No. 30 .- Arts '20 Class Photo, Nov. 30 .- Science Undergrad. Smok-

Dec. 1 .- Societe Francaise play at

Dec 4.-Med. Freshman and Sopho-Dec. 7 .- Arts Undergrad. Smoker,

he and his family were baptized. But per, the Rheinish Gazette, in which he the son, though he likewise cared no- waged bitter, relentless war upon the thing for the Jewish religion, never government. Time after time the cenforgave the slight thus put upon his sors interfered, but Marx was too race. He was proud of being a Jew, brilliant a polemicist, even thus early perhaps he owed to the latter some finally, at the request of his managers, Marx retired. They hoped thus to At the earnest behest of his father, avoid being compelled to suspervi

try. Marx's wife was related on her

Accordingly Marx accepted the offer (Continued on Page 4.)

DANCE HELD BY MEDICINE WAS SUCCESS

All Present Fully Enjoyed the Programme.

LIEUT. IOANIDU PRESENT.

Willie Eckstein's Six-piece Orchestra Delighted Dancers · With Sweet Strains.

Last night the Annual Medicine Dance was held in the Assembly Hall of the New Medical Building The Hall was tastefully, though plainly decorated, chiefly with flags. Flowers, donated by one of the professors, were arranged about the hall and corridors. The proceeds of the dance were for the purpose of the Roumanan Red Cross.

Prince Ioanidu, the representative of Queen Marie of Roumania, was present. He is in Canada in the inerest of the Roumanian Red Cross. The floor of the hall was in excel-

lent condition, and was not overcrowded. Those who were on the Reception Committee were Miss E. Hurlbatt, Mrs. Birkett, Mrs. D. Evans, Prince Ioanidu and others. The attendance on the whole was very good, and it reflects credit on the promoters that last evening's programme was carried out so successfully.

At 8.45 p.m. the reception was held on the ground floor, a bugler from the C.O.T.C. announcing the various numbers. At 9 p.m. dancing commenced, and was continued until .30 a.m. Between the dances punch vas served.

At the end of the tenth dance refreshments were passed around. There was a bounteous supply, and those present enjoyed it to the full.

The Meds, had a very large number present, but it was also very gratifying to notice a goodly attendance from Arts and Science. While the affair was not necessar-

livered an illustrated address on "Ro- | ily to be formal, nevertheless the great majority were in full dress. The following is a list of the dances

in the order in which they came:

1-One Step.

3-One Step. 4-Fox Trot.

5-One Step.

6-"Moonlight" Waltz. 7-One Step.

8-Fox Trot. 9-One Step.

10-"Moonlight" Waltz.

1—Extra, 2—Extra.

11-One Step. 12-Waltz.

13-One Step. 14-Fox Trot.

15-One Step.

16-Waltz.

The music was furnished by Willie Eckstein and his orchestra of six pleces. Throughout the evening they furnished excellent music, and the warmest praise is due them for their voluntary contribution to the success of the evening.

#### WISCONSIN ATHLETES ENLIST.

Enlistments in the army and navy have taken 66 men from the teams of the four leading sports at the University of Wisconsin - more than have gone from the athletic teams of any other universities in the "Big Ten' Conference - according to the athletic department .

The football squad this fall sent 23 veterans of 1916 into war service. All but one of these would have returned this fall but for the war. Six of those in the service now wear last year's varsity football "W." Four men of the team that played Chicago last Saturday will go with the drafted army at the close of 's season. Of last year's varsity basketball team, five men are now in service. Four of these men wear the basketball "W."

Last year's track squad sent 28 men into war service. Six of this number, however, graduated last June.

Baseball was discontinued spring because of the number of players who were preparing to enter officers' training camps. Ten men, four of them letter men, who would have been back for the 1918 season are now in the army or navy.

#### ARTS '13 MAN WOUNDED.

Word has been received that Pte. Wallace R. Henry, Arts '18, sustain-"Wally" enlisted in February, 1916, in

ties, being particularly connected with Soon after his marriage, Marx re- his class football and hockey teams, the season of 1915.

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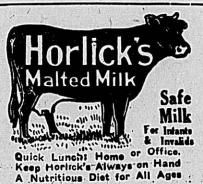
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COLLEGE MEN AND POLITENESS.

There is a certain type of college man who is becoming increasingly common at McGill, to judge from some experiences we have met with during the last few days. The chief characteristic of this student is his almost total disregard of the most elementary Steed and Swan. rules of good conduct and politeness, which he seems to consider he is above. Too often men of this type regard the fact of their attending college as a license to behave in a boorish manner towards the world in general, by way of making known their complete emancipation from the trammels of school life, and in this way the reputation of the University is damaged at a time when it should be our o endeavour to keep it up to the highest standard.

It may now be said to be the exception, rather than the rule, to o see a student greet an acquaintance with any salutation other than o an indistinguishable numble which may, or may not, express pleassure at the meeting. Should one be so old-fashioned as to attempt o to keep up the practice of nodding in a friendly fashion to a group O of men to whom, perhaps, one has never been formally introduced, the result is likely to be most discouraging to the would-be "mixer." The time appears to be past when all McGill men regarded themselves o as members of one brotherhood, and were not afraid to greet as friends those whom they knew to be students at the University.

We have already referred more than once to the practice on the part of some students of disturbing others at work in the library; the same disregard of the rights and feelings of one's fellows of dinner may do so at the Un- O is apparent elsewhere in college life. One of the most detestable O ion from Mr. Culyer, or may O of habits is the prevalent one of borrowing the property of others O get them at the Windsor Hotel O without their knowledge or permission. A great many men are to o be found who imagine that sufficient apology is made for such lack o o o o o o o o o o o o o of manners by the remark, "Oh, I didn't think you'd mind." But that is just the trouble. They should have taken the trouble to find out the owner's views on the subject before making use of his property, and it is the omission of such little amenities that gives cause of enforced domestic economies, ground for complaint.

Men of this University should be particularly careful of their cal interest in governmental efforts. actions when before the general public, for they will find that out- few persons will smile when they learn siders are always only too ready to find fault with students and that the advisory committee of the their ways. Everyone is familiar with the type of college man who enters a street car and proceeds to make merry with his compan-administrator, who will supervise ions, his sole object, apparently, being to create a disturbance and processes for reclaiming valuable mamake himself as obnoxious as possible to all the other occupants. terials from what has hitherto been We have all, doubtless, looked on in silent indignation while the misguided youth, pleased with the attention he was attracting, lumber were saved, a distinct half laughed noisily at his own brilliant (?) sallies, quite unconscious would, it is declared, be called on the of the fact that the onlookers had made up their minds that the average student was about as unpleasant a specimen of manhood as what a start one realizes that, for they had ever encountered. This sort of thing is painfully common many years, the coal tar so-called at the present time, and it is the duty of all right-thinking students to combat it.

#### POEMS TO FRANCE.

Some months ago a number of Americans famous in the world of literature, music, painting, and various phases of national life, decided that they would combine their forces in a tribute to France. Under the guidance of Mr. Charles Hanson Towner poems, stories, bits of music, and drawings were gathered from these men and women, and now appear between the covers of a single volume. "For France," just published by Doubleday, Page and Co. All profits coming from the sale of this book will go to the French Heroes Fund.

"A Posthumous Poem" from Allan Seeger, whose "I Have a Rendezvous with Death" has achieved international fame, appears in the early part of the book. It is as follows:

There was a stately drama writ By the hand that peopled the earth and air.

And set the stars in the infinite And made night gorgeous and morn ing fair,

And all that had sense to reason knew That bloody drama must be gone through.

Some sat and watched how the action veered-

Waited, profited, trembled, cheered-We saw not clearly nor understood, But yielding ourselves to the masterhand.

Each in his part as best he could. We played it through as the author

planned. She writes: Theodosia Garrison takes a line from a newspaper, "The women of France Along the thousand roads of France, the title "France."

to-day do not weep," and upon it

writes the following:

Brave eyes, dry eyes, that do not weep to-day Your tears shall be at last your great reward.

Even as those of old who faced the rod And rack dry-eyed, then gained in one

survey All Heaven, with its shining scraphs The first year of the trial of the sysstarred. And knew through splendid tears the

face of God. "France in Battle-Flame," is the subject of Edwin Markham's contribution, which concludes:

O France of the world's desire. O France new-lighted by supernal

fire, Wrapt in your battle-flame,

All nations take a splendor from your name. All souls are touched to greatness by your soul.

In you we are reborn to noble dreams-In you we see again the sacred gleams From man's immortal goal,

The faith that rises from you as a star Will light the ages coming from afar,

When men shall band in one confederate fate To build the beauty of the Comrade State

Something of the "Joan of Arc" of Mark Twain is expressed by Lizette Tours, Arles, and Domremy reply! Woodworth Reese, in "The Good For Joan of Arc goes riding by.

MED. '20 MAN GASSED.

Pte. Herbert L. Logan, a member Med. '20, has been reported on the atest casualties as gassed. He enlisted in a hospital unit and served 18 months in France Although he held a commission, he reverted in order to get to France quickly.

#### LIEUT. FRY WOUNDED.

Word came to his parents yesterday that Lieut. H. S. Fry had been admitted to the Duchess of Westminster's Hospital at La Touquet, suffering from gunshot woulded.
Fry enlisted in the McGill General Lieut.-Col. Cantlie's Battalion. He was a graduate in Arts of the Class of 1914, and was in his second in Law at the time of his enlistment.

#### THEOLOGUES PLAY BASKETBALL

Yesterday afternoon, in the gymnasium of the Wesleyan College, a basketball match was played by two teams selected from the co-operating Theological Colleges. A touch of interest was added by the fact that it was married men versus single. The game started at 5.15, and even the uninitiated could see that the married men had a strong team, and much in their favour. The game was both fast and furious. One spectator was heard to remark afterwards that at times it was difficult to distinguish whether it was Rugby or Soccer. It is only fair, however, to remark that Swan and Jackson, who played on the married team, got special licence to act as married men for the occasion. They played as if they had been in wedlock for many years. Considering the strength and skill of their opponents the single men played well. Perhaps their combination could be improved. They gave evidence, however, of grim determination to 'see this thing through," and the final score testifles to their worth on the floor. When the whistle sounded at 6 o'clock, the score was 52 to 16 in fayour of the single men.

The line-up was as follows: Married: Fowler, Graham, Jackson,

Single: Dilts, Hetherington, Mallalieu, McCurlie, and Terry.

Beach acted as referee.

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#### AMERICAN CLUB DINNER.

The sixth Thanksgiving Dinner of the Club will be held O to-night in the Oak Room of the Windsor Hotel at 8.00 p.m. Good speeches will be furnish- O ed, and best of all, a good old- O fashioned turkey dinner will

men's Club hold their Thanksgiving feast in the Rose Room O of the Windsor, and the McGill O American Club has been invit- O ed to participate in the danc- O O ing being held during the lat-

O upon entering the dining hall. O

#### U. S. JUNK ADMINISTRATION.

are beginning to take a more practisidering the appointment of a lunk considered waste. If half the present waste of food, fabrics, metals, and rise in the cost of living. In the wastes were poured into rivers, and sewers, unreclaimed, or sold in bulk at a trifling price; and all the while chemists and dyers were buying back this waste, in the form of derivatives, from Germany. The advisability of acquainted with a person is made reclaiming used material as well as 'waste" raw materials, has been forcibly exemplified in Chicago, where the superintendent of the house of correction has kept his charges at work, during the last two years, at sorting junk from the various city departments. The year previous to the sorting experiment, the city received \$13,-000 from the sale of unclassified junk tem produced \$86,000 credited to the various departments, the city received over \$10,000 for the labor of prisoners, and \$40,000 was set aside for the relief of prisoners' families. One man reclaimed more than \$9,000 worth of platinum during the year. Less than \$1 was invested in his working "equipment."

Now there, now here, swift as glance. A cloud, a mist blown down the sky.

Good Joan of Arc goes riding by. In Domremy at candlelight. About the shadowy houses lie;

And Joan of Arc goes riding by.

Who saith that ancient France shall fail. A rotting leaf driven down the gale?

Then her sons know not how to die; Then good God dwells no more on

Amelle Rives (Princess Pierre Troubetzkoy) contributes some lines under

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#### HANDSHAKING.

The ability to meet men is without doubt a big part of an education. A great deal of the impression that a man makes when he becomes through the personality that is shown when he shakes that person's hand. A cold chill involuntarily follows the shaking of hands with a fellow who puts out a lifeless hand. There seems to be no truth in the statement that you are glad to get acquainted. But the man who exerts a little pressure and looks the fellow in the eye is the man who will make the right

mpression. This statement is true for the worhan as well as the man. The woman who gives you that lifeless grip gains none of your respect. Cultivate a large machine. way of shaking hands without overdoing it, and it will repay you for the time thus spent.—Daily Kansan.

#### UNIVERSITY OF PENN. CHAM-PIONS.

For the first time in the history of the event, the University of Pennsylvania is to-day holding the varsity cross-country team championship title The orchards, blowing rose and white of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America, following the victory scored by its runners in the nineteenth annual contest over the Van Cortlandt Park course Saturday afternoon, with 38 points. Cornell University, winner of 15 of the 18 previous titles, finished in second as the Eli runners were with the Replace with a team total of 55, while serve Officers Training Corps at New Columbia University was third with Haven.

but two of them were forced to with-

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dance?

He: "Will you be my partner?" She: "Oh, Claude, this is so sudden. Give me a little time." He (continuing): "For the next

She (continuing): "To catch my breath. I haven't yet recovered from the last dance"

Massachusetts Institute of Tech nology, which recently won the New England intercollegiate title, failed to

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draw from team composition, as the show up as strongly as expected, and They were discussing literature and inquired the literary connoisseur. College of the City of New York finished fourth with 85 points, while the conversation turned to English "No," answered the parvenue, "but started only four men, and Yale Uni- Dartmouth College was last with 96. authors. "Have you read Carlyle?" Two visited his Indian school."

The Royal Minuary College of Canada.

MERE are few national institutions of more value and interest to the country than the Royal Military college of Canada. Notwithstanding this, its object and the work it is accomplishing are not sufficiently understood by the general public.

The College is a Government Institution, designed primarily for the purpose of giving instructions in all branches of military science to Cadets and Officers of the Canadian Militia. I fact, it corresponds to Woolwich and andhurst.

The Commandant and military instructors are all officers on the active list of the Imperial army, lent for the purpose, and there is in addition a complete staff of professors for the civil subjects which form such an important part of the College course. Medical itendance is also provided.

Whilst the College is organized on a trictly military basis the cadets relive a practical and scientific training in subjects essential to a sound nodern education.

The, course includes a thorough grounding in Mathematics, Civil Engineering, Surveying, Physics, Chemistry, French and English.

The strict discipline maintained at the College is one of the most valuable features of the course, and in addition, the constant practice of gymnastics, drills and outdoor exercises of all kinds, ansures health and excellent physical condition.

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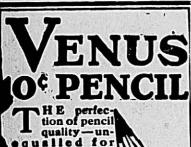
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#### A YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

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Dean Adams addresses Chinese Y.

Capt. Popham, Science '10, dies of wounds.

Tennis Club Annual meeting. Arts '18 Class Meeting at Union.

#### THEY DON'T WANT ANYTHING!

The requirements for the ideal college man have been set forth by the girls of Drake University. According to co-eds there, a perfectly proper man must meet fifteen conditions. We take pleasure in presenting the fifteen requirements, and if the young ladies of Indiana University desire to furnish us with the names of all the young men here who can quality according to these conditions, we shall be pleased to give space to all their names. The requirements are

1.-He must make a good appearance, but need not be handsome. 2. -He must be careful in personal appearance, but not a "dandy."

3.- He must be jolly, accommodating, considerate and a true sports-4 .-- If an athlete and meeting other

requirements, so much the better, but if not athletic it need not detract. 5.-He must be a good conversationalist and realize that a girl is not flattered by having nonsense talked at her all the time,

6.-He must show respect and reverence to the aged.

7.-He must show the same gentlenanliness with men as with women. 8.-He must not sit serenely in the street car while an old man or an old woman stands and then arise suddeny and offer a seat to a pretty girl. 9 .- He must not smoke or drink or be guilty of the attendant evils. These were most vigorously denounced,

10.-He must not sneer at religion or joke lightly about it. 11.-The young women recognize no difference in standards for men and for women, and declare such distinctions as false.

12.-The young women can only truly respect those men who live by principle and not by others' opinns.

13 .- The young women recognize the young woman's influence over the young man's conduct, but do not hold the young woman responsible for the Straits & Casgrain young man's conduct.

14.-The young women expect re-Royal Trust Building, St., James Street, spect for their opinions, and respect for the things which others esteem, A. Chase-Casgrain, K.C. and they admire reverence for reli-J. J. Greelman P. F. Casgrain 15.-The women want the same dig-

nity and reserve in the men that the men expect to ask for in them. - Indiana Daily.

#### ENGLISH VS. AMERICAN RUGBY.

Arguments are frequently heard in regard to the comparative rapidity of play in American and Rugby styles of football. The following compilations were made by former Senator D. E. Folsom, who is a great sports enthuslast, and these may be accepted as giving a concrete basis for compari-

At a game of American football between California and Oregon, played on California field October 27, 1917, a stop-watch was held from which the following results were recorded: The game was supposed to have

played in four periods of fifteen minutes each

Time from kick-off to end of game, hour 50 minutes 15 seconds. Aggregate length of periods, 1 hour

Time out between periods, 20 min-Time out during periods, 30 min

ites 15 seconds. Number of plays, 144.

Ball was moving 8 minutes 52 2-5 seconds. Average length of plays, 3 5-7 sec nds.

Longest play, 10 seconds. Average length of ten longest plays,

3 3-5 seconds.

At a game of Rugby football between Stanford and the Olympic Club, played on Stanford field November 10, 1917, the following figures were obtained:

The game was played in two halves of thirty minutes each.

Time from kick-off to end of game, hour 16 minutes 40 seconds. Aggregate length of the two halves, hour 4 minutes 15 seconds.

Time out between halves, 12 min-

ites 25 seconds. Time out during halves, 4 minutes

5 seconds. Number of plays, 118. Ball was moving 33 minutes 33 sec-

onds. Average length of plays, 17 7-118 econds.

Longest play, 58 4-5 seconds. Average length of ten longest plays, 47 7-10 seconds.

#### YALE UNDERGRADS KILLED IN WAR.

our entry into the war, according to an announcement in the Yale News. Two of the men were killed in acother man lost his life learning to English aviation service.

# IMPROMPTU SPEAKING

### Awarded to Misses Fowler and Mawdsley.

The Impromptu Speaking Contest. which took place yesterday in the Royal Victoria College, proved very successful.

The first prize, a volume of "Poems of To-day," was awarded to Miss L. Fowler, of the senior year. The sec-Wakefield," went to Miss D. Mawds-Muir and Miss Lindsay received Hon- student. orable mention.

The subjects covered a wide range, and were handled with ingenuity, showing rapidity of thought and facility of expression.

cranks, but on interesting cranks" cranks such as could be thought of by all - people who do and say queer things. Miss Fowler even dared to declare that there are many cranks in college, although they themselves are not aware of it. She closed by saying that she hoped, if any present were slight cranks, they would not follow the example of the old man in Maupassant's story, "La Licelle," and develop into real cranks and die.

Miss Mawdsley spoke on "The Delights of Impromptu Speaking." She outlined the various delights, such as the admiration of one's friends, anticipation, awaiting your turn, etc. These delights seemed of such a doubtful character to Miss Mawdsley that she finished with the story of the sergeant, who, having difficulties in drilling his soldiers, turned to his superior officer and said, "This, sir, is one of the horrors of war." Among the other subjects were "Characters I Like, and Why," "Read-

ing," "Fools," "Summer Vacations," Tea Drinking," "Banneys," etc. Miss Cameron kindly announced the decision of the judges. She spoke survive, despite the athletic situation of the enjoyment given by so varied an entertainment, and of the virtues and defects of the speeches. The virtues were clear articulation, rapidity and ease of expression. The defects involved a few underlying principles of public speaking. The first thing in public speaking is to define the subject as clearly as possible for your audience. She pointed out that it is wise to try to avoid trivial personalities, and to generalize as much as possible, always bringing one's speech to a climax with some generalization. The absence of literary allusion was regretted, and Miss Cameron said that such a subject as "Tea Drinking" should not be discussed without mention of Dr. Johnson. All the speakers agreed with her conclusion, which was that many were now regretting

lost opportunities. criticisms and decisions of judges, Miss Cameron, Miss Idler and Miss Brown, were greatly appreciated.

#### A DEFINITION.

The following passage shows the little heroine of Alice Hegan Rice's new story, "Calvary Alley," in one of her most naive moments:

By and by a woman in spectacles took her into a small room across the hall, and told her to sit on the other side of the table and not to shuffle her feet. Nance explained about the mosquito bltes, but the lady did not listen.

"What day is this?" asked the spectacled one.

"Friday, said Nance, surprised that she could furnish information to so wise a person.

"What day of the month?" "Day before rent day." The corner of the lady's mouth witched and Nance glanced at her

suspiciously. "Can you repeat these numbers after me? Four, seven, nine, three, ten,

six, fourteen." Nance was convinced now that the lady was crazy, but she rattled them

off glibly. "Very good! Now suppose you tell me what the following words mean.

Charity?" "Is it a organization?" asked Nance

doubtfully.

"Justice?" "I dunno that one." "Do you know what God is?" Nance felt that she was doing bad-

bars must be already closing on her.

She no more knew what God is than

you or I know, but the spectacled

lady must be answered at any cost.

what made us, and a cuss word,"

"God," she said laboriously, "God is

#### BROWN VS. DARTMOUTH IN FOOTBALL.

For the first time in eleven years Brown once more faces her old rival With prospects of for victory equally good for both teams this afternoon, the result still hangs completely in the the Green and the Brown from Han-Four Yale undergraduates have died Braves Field to-day with absolute up the church.-Selected. n the service of their country since confidence in their heroes on the grid-

A forecast of such a game as this is hardly possible, coming as it does tion in France, last August, while a after an eleven-year estrangement bethird died as a result of a fall from tween Brown and Dartmouth. Comar aeroplane in a French school. The parative scores for this season are equally inadequate as indicative of fly in America, at the du Pont school. the final result, for neither of the con-Besides these men, six graduates have testants has as yet met a common lost their lives in connection with the enemy. Dartmouth, until recently, war, four on the Lusitania, one in an showed a very strong offensive and automobile accident in an American defensive team, and until she crossed R.O.T.C. camp, and the other in the swords with Pennsylvania, had not been defeated.

#### SCISSORED SENTIMENT.

Cornell: Now for the Cornell-Brown game at Philadelphia. This has been a season of big upsets, and who knows but what Cornell may end up Very Successful Meeting-Prizes with one to take its place alongside the Tufts victory over Dartmouth, the Pennsylvania victory over Michigan, the Princeton freshman victory over the Yale freshmen, and the Wisconsin victory over Minnesote

Texas: The abolition of entrance fees is now being considered at the University of Texas. Should favorable action be taken on this proposition, students will no longer be reand prize, a copy of the "Vicar of quired to pay matriculation fees, laboratory fees, etc., but only library ley, a sophomore. Miss Moule, Miss and other returnable fees, thereby Patterson-Smith. Miss Abbott, Miss saving from \$10 to \$45 a semester per

Washington: Music will form no inconsiderable part of the sophomore dinner at the Commons. The varsity quartet will be there, and a threepressed it, "not on automobile plece orchestra as well. Some short, snappy speeches, a mixing stunts and the big feed will complete the programme.

Washington: Students and faculty have pledged \$10.000 as Washington's contribution to the Y. M. C. A. war fund. The Western Washington Conference colleges have promised a total of \$23,500, or almost twice as much as was apportioned for the entire state.

Harvard: There will be no regular hockey team at Harvard this year. The New York Amateur Hockey Association has also decided not to play

Ohio State: The University has

just completed a campaign to raise

\$21,000 for Army Y.M.C.A. work. Harvard: Soccer prospects at Harvard are such that it has been found possible to undertake the arrangement of a schedule, and both the University and Freshmen teams are practicing daily. Soccer seems to be the only minor sport which will be able to

created by the war. Chicago: The University of Chicago as adopted a measure of economy in dispensing with the usual convocation orator for the fall convocation taking place on December 21. President Judson will deliver an address.

#### PRINCETON FRESHMEN DEFEAT YALE.

By displaying a determined fighting spirit, the Freshman eleven outclassed and defeated Yale 1921 by a 9 to 7 score in Saturday's game. The contest was hard fought throughout, but the University team's stubborn and effective attack could not be denied. The Freshmen forced the play during the entire four quarters.

Princeton's dashing attack swept the over-confident Yale team so close to the Eli goal that it threatened to score five times. The University team worked with machine-like precision. and easily outrushed its opponents, gaining 206 yards by rushing, as

against the 108 gained by Yale. The interference was easily the cature of the offensive. Time and again on wide end runs. Yale found impregnable interference supporting the hard working backs.

#### MORE ENGLISH LITERATURE.

Better training in English is to b required hereafter of all medical students in the University of California. according to the ruling just passed

by the Academic Senate. Beginning August, 1919, one year of English literature and English compositions, representing three hours a week, done as undergraduate work will be a prerequisite for matriculation in the Medical School.

## ESSAY ON HISTORY.

History is what is all about. History was started by Patrick Henry when he said: "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the the party." History is hard to learn. Napoleon was right when he said: 'Kill 'em all." Then there would be no history. George Washington figured in History. He must have figured about 1/4 because whenever I see ly. If her freedom depended on her him he's cut off below his neck. Abrapassing this test, she knew the prison ham Lincoln said: "Give me liberty, and don't give up the ship." What he should have said was: "Ship 'em all back to Liberia." King. Canute was a lazy man who went to the ocean to wash his feet for the first time, The ocean refused and went out to see. Columbus found the fountain of youth and stayed there till he died of old age. From what I hear he was not to blame. Charles I. did not use his head so Oliver twisted it off and yelled: "Sic semper tyrranis," which means, "the city of brotherly love." Henry on the football field - Dartmouth. VIII. believed in harems with beheadings and renewals. Charlemagne married Magna Carta and had several sons named Louis, which went up balance. The loyal supporters of both to XVI. Martin Luther published some theses on the church door. The over and Providence will meet on Pope said: "Some buil," and broke

## WHEN MUSIC HATH CHARMS.

Two Lancashire boys were expalating on the relative merits of their fathers as musicians. "My father is the greatest musician

n the town," said one. "Oh!" the other said. "When my father starts every man stops work." "How's that?" said the other. What does he do?"

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himself to a study of the questions to which his life and activity were henceforward to be entirely devoted. At Paris he lived in close intercourse with the leading French Socialists; with Proudhon he often spent whoie nights in the discussion of economic problems. His most intimate associates, however, were the German exiles. By far the most important of the acquaintances he made at this time was that with Friedrich Engels. When these two men met in Paris in 0 0 complete community of views, and for nearly forty years continued to be loyal friends and comrades-in-arms.

In 1845 Marx, at the instance of Prussia, was expelled from Paris. He went to Brussels, where he resided three years, but in 1848, during the revolutionary troubles, he returned to Germany, and along with his comrades, supported the most advanced democracy in the new Rhenish Gazette. In 1849 he settled in London, where he spent his after-life in the elaboration of his economic views, and ers." in the realization of his revolutionary programme. In 1859 he published a contribution to the criticism of political economy. This book was for the most part incorporated in the first volume of this great work on Capital, which appeared in 1867. Much of his later life was spent in ill health, due to the excessive work by which he had undermined a constitution that had originally been exceptionally healthy and vigorous. He died in London, March 14, 1883.

After the death of Marx "Das Kapital" was completed by the publication of the second and third volumes, which were edited by Engels from manuscripts left by his friend. But neither of these two volumes has the historical interest which may be fairly claimed for the first.

To us this book is of special interest, because there is so much in it that is English. Some have gone so far as to say that though written in German, it is entirely English in spirit. Indeed, this would not be strange when we remember that much of it was written in the British Museum, and by a man who was a keen observer of English industrial conditions. Even the method and style of "Das Kapital" are much more distinctly English than German.

In spite of a large body of recent literature on the subject of Socialism, the great work of Karl Marx remains the most trenchant expression of the Socialist ideal. It may be that his view of history is limited, and somewhat narrow, it may be that his description of historic evolution is too Hegelian in its simplicity. But when the worst is said, "Das Kapital" remains a book of the greatest merit as being the statement of an ideal which has taken firm hold on men's minds.

The administration which Marx evinces for the Middle Ages is now Romanticists. Hyndman, in his book The Historical Basis of Socialism in England," refers to this as the undoubted cause, and points out that not only is the feeling for the past allowed too large a place, but that the conception of mediaeval life which Marx seems to have held is rather fantastic. Certainly to a more enlightened day, there are abundant evidences of exaggerations that are crude, and even unlikely. Marx's own followers are prepared to admit this. Kirkup's "History of Socialism" quotes E. Bernstein in defence of such a position. It is surely not too much, then, for us to grant that in all probability Karl Marx felt the spell of the renewed interest in earlier ages, and that something of the glamour and fancy that always clothes a distant day, found expression in his book. Nevertheless, we must be anour guard not to classify Marx with the sentimental Socialists of the Owen type. Marx is distinctly and altogether a Socialist of the philosophical or scientific school. Truly "Das Kapital" is colored by the evolutionary theory expressed for history by Hegel and for science by Darwin. Men had become conscious of the immense changes which had taken place in feudalism and industrialism, and it was felt generally that yet greater changes might establish an entirely new system of the relations of man to man. We have by the present time learned to accommodate ourselves to this way of thinking, and no one regards society as in any sense static. What the socialism has sprung out of the work of Marx has done is quite evident. The chief contribution of Karl Mark to Socialist theory and practice is his representation of socialism, not as an individual fantasy, a Utopian dream, but as the inevitable next step in the development of human society. He has placed socialism, in the main current of the world's history.

With this brief sketch of the life of Karl Marx, and this opolgia pro vita ma, we will turn to the book which more than anything else gives its author a place in the history of

political ideals. The greater part of the book is a statement of facts with a view to showing the evils of the existing system, and also the forces which inevitably will transform this system into the ideal implied in the following pas-

"Let us picture a community of free individuals carrying on their work with the means of production in common, in which the labour power of all the different individuals is consciously applied as the combined labour

power of the community. . . . The total product of our community is a social product. One portion serves as fresh means of production, and remains social. But another portion is consumed by the members as means of subsistence. The mode of this distribution will vary with the productive organization of the community and the degree of historical development attained by the produc-

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"Jake" Fawcett, Football. E. W. G. Branch, Tennis, H. Moquin, B. F. and W.

A. Walsh, Harriers. And other representatives from English Rugby Club and Soccer Club.

Any business to be brought before the Association should be in by that date.

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Here, then, we have briefly stated the ideal of Karl Marx.

#### The Marxian Analysiss

I .- The Materialistic Conception of History.

Theoretical Marxianism may be said o rest upon three great theories, and

The first is the well known materialistic conception of history. The second, value and surplus value, and the third is the law of Capitalist Development.

In the first place, we must be careul to distinguish between the materlalistic conception of history and the old materialistic philosophy. This latter Marx distinctly repudiates. He objects to the doctrine of materialism, represented by Fenerback, that men are simply the products of their environment, of their conditions and education, and insists that this environment may itself be altered by men. With this in mind we turn to Kapital."

which Marx himself regarded as the stated in the first volume of "Das Kapital." But whoever turns to the book with expectation will be disappointed. Nevertheless it is fundamental to the whole conception of the book, and implied throughout, beginning with the very first paragraph, the theory is nowhere explicitly set forth in clear and comprehensive terms.

The best definition that I can find shall give you. "Historical materialism is the theory or doctrine that the methods of production, distribution and exchange, and all the instisical factors as race, climate, geo-

CHEMICAL SOCIETY. Dr. Ruttan will address the next

meeting of the Chemical Society on Friday, Nov. 30th, at 5 o'clock, taking There will be an important O as his subject "The Potash Problem meeting of the Athletic Asso- O in Canada." Canada, with her enorciation in the McGill Union on O mous agricultural areas, is of necessity vitally interested in the potash supply, and efforts have been made portant and urgent business O for years past in order to make Amto be discussed, and it is hoped O erica independent of the great Stassfurt deposits. An interesting review of work done along this line is expected, and anyone interested is welcome to come and hear Dr. Ruttan

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tist in Landon." This book belongs to the Y. M. C. A. Finder please return to the hall porter of McGill

### THEY GOT HIM.

Gird: "Well, why didn't you?"

entire superstructure of society, this conflict.

We may then define it as that view the ultimate cause and the great moving power of all important historic events, in the economic developo classes against one another.

With much of Marx's contention we will agree. His emphasis is on the importance of the economic factor in One might expect to find the theory | tural reaction from that unreal philowith this conception in view.

The other idea implicit in the mastruggle of opposing forces.

In the present day we refer to this tutions and social relations which itself as between proletariat and the unskilled, average work. Skilled lathese involve, together with such phy- exploiting class. Only a blind optim- bor counts only as multiplied, simple graphical position and fertility of soil, of such a struggle, but it requires process that goes on behind the backs constitute the economic environment an equally blind and equally optimis- of the producers. "Das Kapital," pp. regarded as being largely due to the which is the predominant factor in the person to agree with Marx in the 2-7, social evolution." As the basis of the inferences he draws from such a

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struggle. The present conflict is to be the last; the victorious proletariat will have no inferior to oppress. Lature '14, a graduate of Macdonald bourers are taught to co-operate in College, has died of wounds received factories and workshops. The fall in action. He enlisted as sergeant- of the bourgeoisie or exploiting class major in Major Brock's Battery, and is absolutely inevitable, and the vicsoon after obtained his commission. tory of the proletariat more so, and in the last stage a new society will be established without class conflict A book entitled "The Japanese Ar- | and with social action for social good.

#### Value and Surplus Value.

Having discovered in the materialistic conception of history a key to all human achievement, Marx proceeds to use it to unlock the secrets Athlete: "Yes, you know, when I of the present epoch, to disclose the was a frosh, coach told me if I didn't essential nature and trend of capicut the pills, I'd become feeble-mind- talistic production. The problem was to explain the mechanism of exploitation. His explanation takes the form of the theory of surplus value, which itself rests on a theory of value, economic environment is the princi- which is really only a variation of the pal, but not the exclusive determin- familiar labor-value doctrine. The ant force in the evolution of political view that labor is the source of value, institutions. Now you will see that in rising naturally in an age when handisuch a society there is bound to be a craft predominated, was given wayering but authoritative support by Adam Smith, and adopted, with essenof the course of history which seeks tial modification, in the classic treatise of Ricardy.

Marx begins his demonstration by declaring that the fact that commo '... ment of society, in the changes in the ties are exchanged gives proof of an modes of production and exchange, in equivalent, "something" possessed in he consequent division of society in common. This common quality cannot be a use-value, since exchange is an act characterized by total abstraction from use-value; one use-value i as good as another. There is, then, history, and in this we have a na- Marx argues, only one common property left, that of being products of sophy which read all life in terms of labour. The magnitude of value conintellectual speculation and judged it tained in a commodity is measured by beneath the dignity of history to the quantity of abstract human labor take heed of the offect of the ways embodied, and this quantity again is in which men earned their living. It measured by the duration of the efs probably not too much to affirm fort. Having stated this broad prothat all history is now being written position, Marx immediately begins a series of important qualifications. In the frst place, the labor which forms erialistic conception of history, is an the substance of value is not the acinterpretation of the past and the tual effort put forth by a specific inpresent as a development by incessant dividual, but the labor required under normal conditions of skill, intensity and up-to-date appliances. The struggle as between labour and capi- unit in this' homogeneous rund is a tal. To Mark the struggle presented quantum of unskilled labour, simple ist would think of denying the fact labor, the proportion being fixed by a (To be Concluded.)

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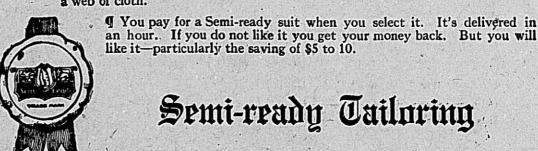
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